



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
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**JN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Joel K. Zupancic and Tomasz P. Kocjan

Application No.: 10/603,018  
Confirmation No.: 2586  
Filed On: June 24, 2003

For: System And Method For Controlling The  
Operating Parameters Of A Setting System

Examiner: Gravini, Stephen Michael

Art Unit: 3749

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Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified Application. Applicant is a small entity. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in these fees to Deposit Account No. 23-0280. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

No additional fee for the Amendment is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0280.  
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- Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra Claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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**REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JULY 20, 2006**

Dear Sir:

This Reply is in response to the Final Office Action mailed July 20, 2006, rejecting all pending claims. This Reply is being filed within the three-month statutory period of time to respond to the Final Office Action.

Reconsideration of the application, including all pending claims, is respectfully requested in light of the remarks made herein.

Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.  
Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.